

for the Madsen family

Lavender's Blue, Madsen Version

for Voice and Piano

English Folk Song
arr. and expanded by CJ Madsen

Simply ♩ = 112

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 3/4 time. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has four measures with lyrics: 'La - ven - der's blue, dil - ly - dil - ly, La - ven - der's green,'. The second system has four measures with lyrics: 'When I am king, dil - ly, dil - ly, you shall be queen.' The piano accompaniment is simple, using chords and single notes. Chord symbols C, F/C, am, C/G, F, and C are placed above the staff. A '5' is written above the first measure of the second system. The reference 'Romans 8:17' is written at the end of the second system.

*Who told you so (Dilly-dilly)
Who told you so?
'Twas my own heart (etc.)
That told me so.*

*Then Taran came
Blue eyes of love
I thank my God
Sent from above*

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*I wed my Samm,
Gentle and fair
Her love is sweet
Precious and rare*

*Soon more will come
I'll cherish all
Be they what make
Short, long, or tall.*

*Then Hollis came
Bright as a beam
Her heart of gold
Flows like a stream.*

*I love my God
Mercy and truth
Springtime and fall
Old age and youth*

*Then Charlotte came
Twinkling and true
She smiles and laughs
I love her, too.*

*Through covenant
Sealed I will be
Past end of time
My family.*

*Then Jonathan
Came with a grin
I lift him up,
Give him a spin.*

*Lavender's blue
Jesus has seen
We will be kings
We will be queens*